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## "VICTORIA" DAY CELEBRATION Meetings

Of the various Sub-Committees will be held as under in the Committee Room at

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ON FRIDAY, AT 7:30 P. M.

### FINANCE

To receive a further report from the collectors previous to the meeting of the General Committee.

ON FRIDAY AT 8 P. M.

### GEN'L COMMITTEE

To receive reports from all committees with final programme.

ON FRIDAY AT 9 P. M.

Or immediately at close of General Committee meeting.

### PROCESSION

It is important that every member of this committee should be present.

THORPETH CUTHBERT, Secretary.

## Adding to Estimates

### Further Supplementaries Make Total of More than Sixty Millions.

### Provisions for Assay Office Either in British Columbia or Yukon.

### Eighty Thousand Dollars Set Apart for Purchasing Plains of Abraham.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, May 18.—Both houses had Saturday sittings today.

The Commons voted all the railway subsidies, aggregating \$3,402,000, and adjourned after 11 p.m.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier gives notice of increasing the sessional indemnity from \$1,000, as at present, to \$1,500, for senators and members. It will involve a sum of about \$150,000.

Further supplementaries were brought down tonight for \$1,240,476, making the total estimates for the next fiscal year of over \$60,000,000.

Among the items are \$20,000 for equipping and maintaining an assay office in British Columbia or Yukon Territory.

There is also \$80,000 for the purchase of the Plains of Abraham, and another \$100,000 for the census.

There is nothing for Mackenzie & Mann or Capt. Bernier's North Pole expedition.

It is reported the government intends appointing a railway transportation commission of experts, and that Mr. Haggart will be offered membership in it.

### ANTI-JEWISH MEASURES.

Russia Will Not Let Them Cross from Germany.

Berlin, May 18.—In spite of the Prussian government's prompt remonstrance, Russia continues to maintain stringent anti-Jewish measures in the frontier districts, virtually preventing all Russian Jews from crossing into Russia for any purpose. It is claimed that Russia is resolved upon such severe measures because an investigation showed that the Jewish smuggler bands were responsible for the recent socialist and nihilist fomentations along the frontier, and also for the wholesale introduction of dangerous pamphlets.

### HELD UP THE MAYOR.

German Demands a Ticket to Get Away From Vancouver.

Vancouver, May 18.—(Special)—L. Oscar Leuz, a German, walked into the mayor's office today when His Worship was alone, and demanded a ticket for Germany. He threatened to kill Mayor Townley if his request was not complied with. The Mayor stood the man off until he got word to the police. Leuz is now in jail and will be examined as to his sanity.

### FAST SPRINT.

Hundred Yards Made by Student Under Ten Seconds.

Washington, May 18.—The feature of the annual hand-pick and track meeting of Georgetown university on the college field today, was the breaking of the track record for 100 yards dash by Duffy, the Georgetown crack. Time 9.4-5.

### PIRATES.

Count von Waldsee Reports Despatched on Chinese Coast.

Berlin, May 18.—A despatch received from Field Marshal Count von Waldsee, at Peking, says that pirates have repeatedly landed to the southwest of Shan Hai Kwan, and extorted food from the inhabitants of that district.

### TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP.

Miles Defends His Title Against Cribble.

London, May 18.—In the contest for the amateur tennis championship today, E. H. Miles, the present holder of the championship, defeated J. B. Cribble by three straight sets.

### THE NEW ELECTRIC HOT-AIR BATHS

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### BREAKS ALL RECORDS.

Rossland Ore Shipments for the Week Are Large.

Rossland, May 18.—The mines of the camp this week established a better record, breaking all previous shipments, by sending to the smelters 12,048 tons. The mines that made up this total were: Le Roi, 6,240 tons; Centre Star, 1,950 tons; War Eagle, 870 tons; Le Roi No. 2, 128 tons; Rossland Great Western, 510 tons; Iron Mask, 20 tons. The total shipments for the year aggregate, 162,902 tons.

The Spitz which is being operated by the Indian Chief Mining Company, and which is located in the southern part of the city, is turning out remarkably well. The shaft is down eighty feet and the entire bottom is in ore, which averages \$28 to the ton. Mr. Alexander Sharp, the consulting engineer of the company, said today that he felt very much encouraged over the way in which the Spitz is developing, and he feels considerable confidence that with the proper development it will make a mine.

### WANTED.

Nanaimo Police Looking for McCullough for Several Charges.

Nanaimo, May 18.—(Special)—The Nanaimo and Victoria police are in communication endeavoring to capture McCullough, the man who is believed to have attempted to murder another with a revolver yesterday morning. He spent all day yesterday at Alexandria and is believed to be hiding in the woods. He is also wanted for house breaking.

## A Slight Rise In Temperature

### Mrs. McKinley Has a Comfortable Day But Now Is Not So Well.

### U. S. President Attends Launching of Warship in San Francisco.

San Francisco, May 18.—Fortunately Mrs. McKinley's condition today permitted President McKinley to attend the launching of the battleship Ohio, from the yards of the Union Iron works. To witness the launching of this ship, named in honor of his native state, was the real objective of the president's long trip across the continent, and was the event which has attracted to the Pacific Coast the governors of three states, the Ohio congressional delegation, several United States senators, and many other notable and distinguished people.

On tonight Mrs. McKinley's physicians held a consultation, after which the following bulletin was given out.

"Mrs. McKinley's physicians report that she had a comfortable day, but that there is slight rise of temperature tonight."

Secretary Cortelyou said no further bulletins would be given out unless unforeseen symptoms should develop.

## PILOT YATES EXONERATED

### Pilotage Board Finds Him Not to Blame For Mishap to Florida.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Nanaimo, May 18.—The Nanaimo pilotage commission met last night to consider the case of Capt. Yates, the pilot in charge of the Norwegian steamer Florida, out from Lady-smith to San Francisco, which grazed a sunken uncharted rock in Captain's Pass, while passing toward Gauges Harbor. Capt. Yates submitted along with other evidence a letter from the captain of the Florida, who was on the bridge with the chief officer at the time of the accident, exonerating Yates from all blame or suspicion of carelessness, and declaring he was attending strictly to his duties and steering a mid-channel course.

Capt. Yates' evidence showed that he was steering with the greatest confidence in mid-channel, where the chart shows nineteen to twenty fathoms, keeping the one-fathom patch buoy a half point to starboard, one-fathom patch buoy south half east, Channel island east south east, Arkland island east half south. The ship suddenly listed to starboard, and he felt a grating under her port side. She took fifteen or twenty seconds to go over the rock. The vessel proceeded to Victoria without a stop. Capt. Yates stated that the steamer Algon, drawing twenty-six feet through the channel must have passed within a ship's breadth of the rock. The Florida showed no water in the bilge after she struck, but No. 1 ballast tank showed 9 to 10 inches an hour. He always considered it a safe passage to take. This rock was uncharted and not even suspected. This passage is free from strong tide and according to the chart free from danger, except where buoyed and charted.

The commissioners, after consultation, unanimously exonerated Capt. Yates and returned his certificate.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK.

Mr. Meighs and Mr. Shakespeare Deliver Addresses in Nanaimo.

Nanaimo, May 18.—(Special)—Noah Shakespeare of Victoria, and C. J. Meighs of Indianapolis, addressed a big meeting at the Wallace street Methodist church tonight. They will conduct service there tomorrow morning, and at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church in the evening, on international interdenominational Sunday schools.

### RAILWAY WASH OUT.

Intercolonial Road Interfered With by High Tide in New Brunswick.

Moncton, N. B., May 18.—(Special)—About eight hundred feet of the Intercolonial railway track east of Sackville, was carried away by flood and considerable damage was done along the river by a high tide last night. As a result all trains east are tied up.

## Booming Churchill

Efforts Made to Advance "Boy Orator" of the Imperial Commons.

### Already "Gossips" Intimate His Fitness for a Cabinet Position.

### Cold Mr. Balfour Utterly Ignores the Young Man of the Week.

London, May 18.—"I have no intention of disassociating myself from the Conservative party, but I have every intention of upholding my attitude and continue my fight for economy." In this way the man of the week, for so Winston Churchill undoubtedly is, expressed his own opinion to a representative of the Associated Press, concerning the fight which, by reason of unexpected strength and its dramatic revelation of inherited oratorical power, has caused more sensation in the political world than any other recent circumstance.

The fact that the army reorganization scheme of Mr. Brodick, the secretary for war, passed the house of commons by an abnormally large majority, is not taken in any quarter to be the effect of the strenuous opposition Winston Churchill displayed toward it.

"Consider," writes that old parliamentary hand, Henry W. Massingham, in the Daily News, "what it means for a young man under 30 with a few weeks parliamentary experience, to fight down the physical difficulties of speech, and all the obstacles of a highly strung and nervous temperament, then to step out at once into the first rank of the debaters, handle a great topic with masterly ease, and stand against the whole party. Who, in our times, has done such, who, indeed, has ever tried it?"

In the same breath Massingham and other writers draw attention to the bitterness and the personal and public attitude of the Conservative leaders towards Mr. Churchill. Mr. A. J. Balfour, the Government leader in the house of commons, who is usually so genial towards others, has entirely ignored this young member of the house who, with one speech, has now gained a prominence which everybody says his party cannot afford to overlook. Current parliamentary gossip presages for Winston Churchill an even more brilliant career than that of his father. The chief doubt of his success appears to be his lack of means, which at present are quite insufficient to enable him to devote that large amount of time required by the duties of a cabinet minister. The sneers of Mr. Brodick and other members of the government at Mr. Churchill's reference to his father's fight and his own right to raise the tattered banner of economy, are dilated upon by the growing war expenditure, has had but a slight effect among the broader-minded Conservatives and Radicals.

An explanation of Mr. Churchill's difficulties in securing fair treatment in the house of commons, is perhaps supplied by T. P. O'Connor, the Irish Nationalist, who this week is writing a series of articles entitled "Is parliament decaying?" In these articles, Mr. O'Connor dilates upon the mental and physical aptly which prevails among members of the government. Mr. Balfour, he says, is quite worn out, and without a spark of freshness.

### MANITOBA RAILWAYS.

Northern Pacific Not Losing Time to Make Extensions.

Winnipeg, May 18.—(Special)—A Portage la Prairie dispatch says construction work on the Northern Pacific railway extension from Beaver will commence on Monday, it being the intention of the Canadian Northern railway, now that the railway bills are passed, to connect their lines. The acquired line, with the Dauphin branch at Gladstone, will allow them to run trains from beyond Swan River direct to Winnipeg within a few weeks, as there is only a short link to construct. Surveyors and contractors were looking over the ground yesterday.

### NANAIMO GAS COMPANY.

Annual Meeting and the Election of Officers.

Nanaimo, May 18.—(Special)—The annual meeting of the Nanaimo Gas Co. this afternoon reported a satisfactory year's business. The new board of directors is:

Dr. Milne, Thomas Sholtz, A. R. Johnston, W. R. Bryant and George Norris.

At a subsequent meeting of the directors the following officers were elected: President, Dr. Milne; vice-president, A. R. Johnston; secretary-treasurer, William K. Leighton. Votes of thanks were passed to the retiring directors and Secretary Leighton for efficient services.

### STRIKE EXPECTED.

Employers Declare They Will Refuse Demands of Machinists.

Hamilton, Ohio, May 18.—Manufacturers of this city have decided to refuse the demands of the machinists and a strike of over 1,500 men appears imminent.

Milwaukee, Wis., May 18.—Large employers of machinists in this city have declared they will not grant the demands of the men and a strike of 1,500 men on Monday is considered certain.

### KILLED THREE.

Fatal Fall of a Saw Mill Chimney.

St. John, N. B., May 18.—At Millville, a suburb of this city, yesterday a chimney 107 feet high, belonging to E. L. Jewett's steam saw and lumber mill, fell, killing Wm. J. Price, George McClusky and Charles Wilson.

### GOLF.

Harry Vardon Beats Taylor in Professional Match.

London, May 18.—Harry Vardon, the professional golf champion, beat J. W. Taylor today by seven up and six to play.















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To let, a good eight roomed house on Upper Chatham street, close to Quadra.

## C. C. REVANS

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Agents in England, Dorells, Kulebits & Co., London, publishers of the "Land Roll" Issue 5,000 copies.

But One Case.—There was but one case to be disposed of in the city police court yesterday morning, that of a citizen who left his house unattended. A fine of \$5 was imposed.

Team Competition.—The much-talked-of competition between the teams of Columbia and Peerless lodges, I. O. E., is fixed for next Wednesday evening. Competitors from these lodges met in the library of the Peerless last evening and arranged details. Much interest is being taken in the contest by the brethren of the triple links, and it is expected that the exhibition will bring out a large number of spectators. As it will be the regular meeting night of No. 2, the members of that lodge will constitute themselves the hosts of the occasion, and will serve refreshments during the evening.

Still Hanging Fire.—Those cases against the Dominion Trading Stamp Company and three firms, who refused to pay the tax imposed by the city on trading stamp companies, and those using the stamps, are still hanging fire. For some time the cases against the stamp company and the B. C. Cattle Co. have been called on Thursdays, and those against Lionel Dickinson and James Hastie on Saturdays. Yesterday the latter cases were called on until Thursday next, so that hereafter the four cases will come up on the same day.

Busy Day Ahead.—The officials of the city police court are looking for two busy days on Monday and Tuesday. The day of the week is always a fruitful one for the civic exchequer, the batch of offenders on that day being greater than on any other day of the week. In addition this week there are several summons cases set for that day. Included in these is one in which William Preece is charged with assaulting his daughter. There are also a number of bicyclists summoned for that day for riding their bicycles without lanterns at night. For Tuesday there are more bicyclists, and John Bell has been summoned for leaving a vicious dog. It is alleged that his dog bit the little son of Mr. Frank Butler.

The Colonist "At Home."—The management of the Colonist has decided to throw open the entire establishment for the inspection of visitors on the evening of the 23rd instant. The offices, press room and various departments will be illuminated and all the machinery of the establishment will be in motion, so that an opportunity will be afforded visitors to the city as well as all attempts to impede the working of a thoroughly modern and complete printing, lithographing and book-binding plant. A cordial invitation is given to all friends to visit us on the evening named, but owing to the amount of machinery that will be in operation, small children unaccompanied by parents or guardians will not be admitted to the mechanical departments.

New Choirmaster.—Christ Church cathedral may be congratulated on the acquisition of Mr. Arthur Crane as choir-master. Mr. Crane is a man of fine physique, of unusual vocal ability, has had a long and varied experience in the handling of choirs. He first notified as a chorister at St. James', Hattaham, in 1862, where the introduction of a high celebration, with all the necessities of a good musical and full orchestra, was provoked, such hostile criticism, as led to the anti-rationalist mob riots. From London he made his way to Glasgow, and was for eight years choir-master at St. John's Episcopal church, the now famous Dr. Albert Lester Paine, for some years, Mr. Crane left Glasgow to fill an appointment at York Minster, and later at Worcester cathedral, and in 1880 secured the position of principal baritone at New College, Oxford, over the heads of 117 competitors. A desire to travel finally led Mr. Crane to relinquish his musical career in England, very much to the regret of his conferees.

Among the guests at the Balmoral was the Rev. Canon R. E. Gresham, local manager for the British Columbia Cattle company, who arrived yesterday. The Rev. Canon R. E. Gresham, the Vancouver pilot, came down from Vancouver yesterday.

E. P. Nathan, one of the delegates to the meeting of the Grand Lodge K. of P., returned home last evening. George McL. Brown, executive agent of the C. P. R., arrived from the Mainland yesterday evening. R. E. Comer, W. E. Bullen, James Crawford, R. Collier and W. F. Andrews were among the visitors returning from the Mainland last evening. Rev. R. P. Birch of the Congregational church, left on his evening at a visit to Port Angeles, where he is to preach to-day for Rev. D. Beld, and lecture on the Boer war on Monday.

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## The Services In the Churches

Subjects of the Sermons and  
Order of the Musical  
Portions.

Announcements By Pastors of  
the City Churches For  
Today.

Rev. Canon Beaudouin will occupy the pulpit at Christ church cathedral this morning, the evening preacher being the bishop. The order for the musical services follows:

MATINS.  
Voluntary: Prelude and Fugue in F, Bach  
Psalm 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

Voluntary: Introduction and Chorus.  
(Lohengrin) Wagner  
Professional: 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

There will be morning prayer at 11 and evening at 7 at St. John's, the rector, Rev. Percival Jones being the preacher at both services. The musical arrangements are as follows:

MORNING.  
Organ: Agnus Dei in F, Mozart  
Hymns: 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 2















conservation;

And, whereas, the provincial government expressed to the canners' deputa- tion its strong sense of responsibility in respect to the preservation of the indus- try, and its general approval of the views set out in the memorial of March 30, 1903

Therefore, be it resolved, that with the view of remedying the evils above men- tioned and for the benefit of the industry as a whole, as well as for the general good of the province of British Columbia the provincial government be urged to assume control of the fisheries and ad- vised.

1. That a local fishery board be estab- lished, under government supervision,

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eight tons of gold and silver. Throughout the year the treasure poured into the office in a steady stream, reaching its highest mark and breaking all records for a single month in July, when in twenty-six working days over fourteen tons of precious metals were received. The prodigious quantity of gold received during the year, as weighed at the assay office, amounted to 1,345,122.11 troy ounces.

It was owned and deposited by 7,106 persons and concerns. Its total assay value was \$22,038,775.12.

The average of the deposits is 190 ounces valued at over \$3,100 each. The bullion, as accounted for at the assay office, came from sources as follows:

The Klondike	\$16,946,437.08
Alaska	4,291,730.40
British Columbia	667,225.47
Washington and other states	133,382.17

Total \$22,038,775.12. Now, we find that \$16,900,000 worth of Klondike gold, every dollar of it Canadian gold, and that \$667,000 of British Columbia gold, went to the Seattle assay office, every dollar's worth of which, should, if there had been an assay office at Victoria or Vancouver, have come into our hands. The miners would have sold it to the mint or assay office and would have spent enormous sums of money buying their supplies in these cities. The paper also goes on to speak of what they are expecting this year.

"It is also interesting to note the contribution of the 'Intelligencer's' figure on the output of the Klondike for 1900. This was given at \$20,000,000. The popular estimate ranged to \$25,000,000 and higher. But the officers of the Yukon police, having charge of the collection of royalties on the output of the Klondike, the hon. minister of customs (Mr. Patterson) to listen to this, or is it the hon. minister of the interior (Mr. Sifton).

"—reported only \$11,752,560, while the records of the 'Herald' show that the total output of the Klondike for 1900 was \$14,000,000. The fact now appears that the Seattle assay office received from Klondike \$16,946,437.08, and sufficient bullion is known to be now lying in safe deposit in this city to advance the total to more than \$20,000,000. It is therefore, find that the officers of the government in the Yukon, in collecting the royalty, have been fooled by the miners to the extent of nearly \$5,000,000, which has gone into the American treasury, and has paid no tax to the Dominion treasury. Here is another:

"Stream of Gold From the North."

This is dated April 7th of this year. It says: "More than \$22,000,000 worth of gold dust and bullion, out of the total output of thirty-three and half millions mined in Alaska, the Klondike, British Columbia and the Northwestern States, passed through the Seattle assay office during the year 1900."

It goes on to say: "These are sums the colossal proportions of which cannot readily be grasped or understood by the average man, but which, if handled on Wall street or some other Eastern financial centre, would be treated and heralded the world over as phenomenal. Here, however, in the land of gold and plenty, the people are unimpressed and talked of with the nonchalant ease of speculators in breadstuffs or provisions, and form part of the everyday business transactions."

"The present season is already far enough advanced to enable a fair estimate to be made of the gold output for 1901, and although many reports are coming out of Alaska and the Klondike, which place the increase in the output at fully 50 per cent, greater than last year among the more conservative mine operators of the various districts, the belief is gaining ground that the increase over last year's output will not be as high as about one-third; that is to say, where the 1900 output footed up a total of \$23,500,000, this year it is expected to reach a total of \$44,700,000."

So that we find that according to past operations the output is going to be \$24,000,000 of gold taken out of that far western country and out of the Klondike, and it is estimated that from the Klondike \$27,000,000 will be taken this year. I would ask the hon. minister of finance (Mr. Fielding) not to delay any longer in bringing this matter to an issue. The information is drawn from the hon. gentleman's speech in Montreal, I presume, is that the mint will be built in Montreal. If that is the case I must protest against such a proposal. The proper place to build the mint is in the province of British Columbia.

Mr. Gallie—Hear, hear.

Mr. Mr. Prior—An honorable gentleman says "Hear, hear," in a sarcastic manner.

Mr. Gallie—No, no.

Mr. Mr. Prior—Oh, I see where it comes from. I am glad to think that the gentleman is endorsing my statements. I will now show the reason why the gold goes to Seattle. The following is taken

## PAINFUL, FATAL KIDNEY DISEASE

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from the report published of the interviews and correspondence between the provincial and Dominion governments: "The reason why the gold is taken to Seattle is because the United States assay office there buys it at a higher price than is or can be paid for it in British Columbia. The gold is bought in Seattle at exactly the same rate as it is handed in to the mint at Washington, the United States government paying the express and insurance charges on the bars from the branch office to the mint, so that the only deduction made from the gross value of the dust is the assay charge.

"Gold brought to Victoria or Vancouver is taken to a bank and by the bank sent to the British Columbia government assay office. The charges are practically the same as the Seattle assay office, but the bank in British Columbia has to send the bars to the mint, and in addition to again paying assay charges has to defray the cost of expressage, insurance and other charges, and at the same time provide for a fair business profit. The gold obtained for gold dust taken to Seattle is higher, therefore, than that paid in British Columbia cities by the above charges, which amount to about 2 per cent on the gross value of the gold.

"To meet this competition British Columbia must be in a position to offer at least as good terms as Seattle, and the provincial mineralogist makes the following suggestion, as an alternative proposal, in case the mint should not be established in British Columbia. Of course, we know it is going to be, but still, it will not do.

"The government of British Columbia to be authorized to purchase, as agents, for the Dominion government, all gold offered, at the same rate as paid by the United States government; the local government establishing the necessary offices and being responsible for all losses. The gold to be handed to an agent appointed by the Dominion government, and the weight and fineness of the gold to be guaranteed by the British Columbia government.

The provincial mineralogist points out that of course the assay fee will not begin to pay the expenses of an assay office, and the difference would have to be borne by the local government, who also would be responsible for the loss of the conversion of the weight and assays.

"The Dominion government would have to pay the expressage, interest and other charges on value during transit." It will cost the government very little, I think, to turn that magnificent flow of yellow metal from Seattle to our own cities of Victoria and Vancouver. There is no doubt about it that if we have a mint or an assay office in British Columbia the miners will come down to get coin for their gold. Let me say that in my opinion the proper place for a mint is the city of Victoria. That city is the capital of the province, it is the headquarters of the Pacific naval station and it is the port from which the largest part of the shipping starts for the northern country, whence the gold comes. We all know the immense strides Seattle has made during the last few years, and I can safely say that progress is due to nothing more nor less than the stream of gold which has been pouring into it from the north. The government have promised to act. Let them act now, so that no other moment will be lost in the effort towards securing for us that our own gold shall be brought to our own country.

Just one word in regard to the necessity that exists for the government inquiring into the possibility of Canadian doing large trade with Siberia. My colleague and I have already proposed to the minister of trade and commerce (Hon. Sir Richard Cartwright) in regard to this matter, and he has promised to look into it. I trust that he will send some inquiry into our trade policy to inquire worthy and impossibilities with Siberia, as he has done in the case of the Latin American republics. I think the minister will find that Canada has a good chance of inaugurating a profitable trade with the newly developed country of Siberia.

The merchants of San Francisco and of Portland, Ore., have already entered upon that commercial field. They have sent several ship loads of goods there and they believe that they will be able to do a large trade with Siberia. The people of San Francisco can succeed in that why cannot Canadians on the Pacific Coast succeed as well. I throw this out as a hint to the minister of trade and commerce that he should not allow the grass to grow under his feet but that he should get a good and reliable man to look after this question.

I have spoken already this session upon the lumber duties, the Indian reserves the lopers, and other matters which interest the people of British Columbia, so that I need not refer to them on this occasion. The people of this province have not agitated their rights in any undue way; they have always addressed themselves in a proper manner to the government for these things which they think they should have, but patience is a virtue which may get worn out in a moment. They are a law-abiding, law-abiding people; they have been patient under their grievances, but I say that I think we have about got to the end of our tether in the exercise of patience. If this government will do justice to British Columbia in the manner I have indicated, the government will find that they will be creating in that Pacific province a vast market for the products of Eastern Canada, and they will not have a more loyal and hard-working population in all Canada than they will have in British Columbia.

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MARRIAGE INSURANCE.

In Servia People Gamble Unhappily on Death and Matrimony.

From London Times.

The British consul at Belgrade, in a recent report on the state of Servia, gives a curious account of certain mutual insurance societies in that country. It seems that about two years ago there sprang into existence a number of societies for mutual insurance in cases of death or marriage. The funds of the societies were small, but they have pushed their operations as far as Servia would allow, and the regular subscription of members has been kept up by the different boards of management in order to provide the bonuses which become due, after a short period of membership, in cases of death or marriage.

A perfect fever of speculation in this species of insurance set in recently, and marriage societies have spread over the whole of the country. Membership is sought for the sole purpose of securing bonuses as quickly as possible, and marriages have multiplied to the extent of thousands per month, chiefly among the poorer class of townsmen, who naturally cease to consider their societies as soon as they have qualified for their bonus, and the accumulative claims of the married members upon the funds throw increasing heavy burdens upon the resources of the remaining members.

The only question of time, the Consul General of Belgrade furnished an account of the operations of one society, from which it appeared that the calls upon its members for special contributions for August and September 1900, had resulted in a deficit of £26,413, involving an additional call per member of £14 5s for September, and £12 12s for October.

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### TEACHING THE CALF HOW TO DRINK.

Although we have not been favored with advance prices of the next annual report of the department of agriculture, we think it not unlikely that it will contain something like the following valuable hints, which have been variously attributed to the department of agriculture, to a newspaper and to other eminent authorities. The hints carry with them the time of the year, and recall the dear, dead days beyond recall, when the farmer's boy taught the calf to drink from a pail.

The Brit (Iowa) Tribune refers feelingly to these strenuous moments in the life of our agricultural boys—moments that teach patience and kindly dealing with the dumb animals. For the weaned calf is full of infinite and eternal energy. It desires its sustenance mightily, but it desires it in the way nature has taught it to obtain sustenance. The sight of the pail seems to fill the calf's mind with forebodings. The calf desires to look up to the milkmaid, the farmer's son, or the farmer's child, when the farmer's boy taught the calf to drink from a pail.

The farmer's child must hold the pail between his feet with his hands, using two other hands to hold firmly the cow's child to its milk. When the calf lumps its back and tries to jump it is necessary to hold it down with two more hands. When it breathes hard into the pail and blows the milk all out, you must twist its tail with two more hands. Just before a calf lumps it wiggles its tail. At the premonitory wiggle the tail must be held up, and the calf's head must be held down to the pail.

The Brit Tribune says: "Don't get excited; stand perfectly still, inspire the calf to confidence by your coolness and sang froid. There is nothing equal to sang froid in the initial lesson, and without this attribute the pedagogical work is hopelessly hampered. The other requisites, one of the chief ones being that the teacher must know how to begin with the calf. By following these directions closely a calf can be induced to fill itself with invigorating, life-prolonging milk in a very few lessons, so that it will not be long before the calf will be drinking the milk clear to the bottom of the pail the first time."

When you feed a calf it is better to be alone. Especially is it necessary not to allow women of the household to be present. The preceding sometimes looks like cruelty, and they have no methods of calf feeding that seem more feasible to them than the one we have stated. If you feed a calf, do not hesitate to shake your confidence in yourself and incidentally shaking the calf's already ready stock of confidence in you. It is an art that of calf feeding—that has not been sufficiently taught in the bulletins of the agricultural department.

### THE THOROUGHBREDED HORSE.

The government is very anxious to promote the breeding of a better class of horses in Canada. The following practical views dealing with the letters from his secretary in regard to Lord Minto's prizes presented to the horse show in Toronto are taken from the Farming World and are well worth perusal.

"His Excellency's purpose is to encourage breeders to go in for a well-bred, active horse, with plenty of bone and substance, not too big, and especially suitable for hunting or cavalry purposes. His Excellency considers that a very suitable for riding is likely to afford great earnings for the Canadian horse market in the future, and thinks it is of immense importance that some encouragement should be given to the horse-breeder to develop such a class of well-bred horses."

"Proceed the thoroughbred competitor or his necessary bone and substance he will in my opinion invariably prove better than the half-bred. We particularly want to encourage well-bred stock, and what has always been proved in the campaigning is the superiority of the thoroughbred blood, or to speak more correctly, Arab blood. The Brier ponies, for instance, and the South African ponies on the prairies have obtained a strain of Eastern blood somehow, and I think it would be a great mistake to prohibit purely thoroughbred stock from the competition. Of course thoroughbred stock are very apt to be light of bone, and to possess faults which the half-bred stock do not, but it must rest entirely with the judges to decide as to these faults, and to eliminate the undesirable blood, and to select the objects aimed at; on the other hand, if they find a thoroughbred competitor with the necessary qualifications I shall be very glad to see him placed first."

"There would appear to be an impression in some quarters that a pure-bred horse is a better competitor than a half-bred horse. This is an objection which has often arisen in connection with competitions of a similar nature, and one which is somewhat difficult to deal with, but to do so by the exclusion of the thoroughbred is, in His Excellency's opinion, radically wrong. Besides other objections to such a course it is very likely to cut out stock raised

from some thoroughbred mare in the possession of a small farmer who has obtained her as a cast-off from some racing stable. Many such cast-offs have proved most valuable dams of large families of hunting stock. Attempts have frequently been made to deal with the difficulty by limiting the competition to stock in the possession of small breeders and owners farming a certain small stated acreage, but this has proved most valuable dams of large families of hunting stock. Attempts have frequently been made to deal with the difficulty by limiting the competition to stock in the possession of small breeders and owners farming a certain small stated acreage, but this has proved most valuable dams of large families of hunting stock. Attempts have frequently been made to deal with the difficulty by limiting the competition to stock in the possession of small breeders and owners farming a certain small stated acreage, but this has proved most valuable dams of large families of hunting stock.

### ORCHARD CULTIVATION.

If cause of partial or entire fruit failure is sought, after the orchardist has fulfilled his part, it may confidently be expected to result from one of two interfering conditions. Either the fruiting or growing fruit have been injured by untimely frost, or sufficient moisture has been lacking at some time during the growing season. Loss or damage from the latter cause is now quite as common here in the East as in the arid or semi-arid fruit-growing districts of the far West. There they have become fully convinced that no fruit need be expected without an adequate and continuous supply of moisture, either by conserving that falling during the wet season or artificially supplied, or by both methods combined. Here it will be presupposed that the orchardist has faithfully done his part in fertilizing, pruning, insect protection and, if need exist, in draining, and at June first has a fair setting of fruit. Up to that time, in the East and middle West, there is but little liability of drought. It is the period from this date to harvest that is the most critical for the fruit grower and which annually keeps the statisticians guessing as to the outcome.

Ripe fruit contains from 85 to 90 per cent. of water. When we consider this fact in relation to another, that the leaves of a tree are constantly exhaling moisture into the air at the rate of hundreds of tons to a cord acre of land, and that the fruit trees throughout the summer season, it becomes at once apparent how necessary it is that no moisture in orchard or vineyard should go to waste. It also becomes plain why fruit often drops in crop-ruining quantities even when a drought is not but short duration when sufficient cultivation has not been given to conserve the moisture. The tree will obey the law of self-preservation by sacrificing its fruit rather than its life.

Where special attention has not been given to moisture-conservation by cultivation, it is not generally understood by orchardists that a protection against evaporation of soil moisture is afforded by a dust mulch. A convincing and practical illustration of its efficacy was witnessed last season in a garden potato patch, which, after deep plowing and thorough preparatory tillage, was given conscientious stirring and cultivation from June to three times weekly. The desideratum being to allow no crust to form, favorable to moisture dispersion, this was continued throughout the growth of the crop. Although the season was unusually dry, and the soil such as to be easily affected by drought, the potatoes yielded a magnificent crop, both in size and quality. At all times during the period named moist earth could be found within two or three inches of the surface, while a half dozen feet away, on either side, where no cultivation was practised, the soil was destitute of moisture for at least 18 inches below the surface.

Later in the season the same fact was emphasized when the writer had an opportunity to witness orchard cultivation in the far West, notably in California. There were observed tree-breaking crops of splendid fruit just adjoining others of the same age, variety, and number, and equally as well cared for except in the cultivation given, the latter showing only partial crops of inferior, shriveled fruit, all the cases corresponding closely to the cultivation and artificial moisture supplied. The best result was evident in that climate of constant sunshine and moistureless atmosphere, where a dust mulch of five or six inches was provided. It was there also made evident that those dependent on irrigation, without much regard to cultivation, were often no better off than the orchards irrigated. The uninterrupted supply of moisture is an absolute necessity for the best results. Just as soon as the supply fails, the fruit begins a premature ripening which is fatal to its

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perfect development, even should its stem remain unparted from the parent tree. The point I would especially emphasize is that no one with an orchard of bearing age which at its best is capable of yielding its owner, in the East or West, from \$50 to \$100 per acre, net, when properly handled, can afford to convert the moisture rightly belonging to the fruit into grass or other crops, or what is equally bad for the fruit, allow the moisture to escape into the air through the medium of a hard, uncultivated soil crust.

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